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MEXICAN RANCH WOMAN DRIVES FORTY MILES WITH TWO DEAD BODIES

Las Cruces, N. M., Aug. 27.—Full details have just been received here of one of the most heroic acts ever heard of in this country.

Guadalupe Apodaca, who had been employed at the Lucero ranch, 40 miles east of Las Cruces, while riding a broncho was thrown from the horse and injured so that he died soon after reaching the house. There was no one at the ranch but his wife and a young baby. After waiting three days for assistance, the woman took the broncho which had thrown her husband, and started to get in the work horses.

The broncho threw her, but she finally managed to round up the work team and hitch them to the wagon. She then dug holes so that the hind wheels of the wagon would be lowered and dragged the dead body of her husband into the wagon, after which she started on the long trip to Las Cruces. On the way, the baby died and the bereaved wife and mother drove the remainder of the distance with the two loved ones lying in the wagon, dead.

Upon arrival here, the body of the husband was in a dreadful state of decomposition and the woman was almost prostrated. She had eaten nothing for three days. She is at present in a precarious condition.

LAS CRUCES AND MESILLA VALLEY

CRUCES MAN KILLS BIG MOUNTAIN LION

An Animal Measuring Over
Seven Feet Brings \$20
To Killer.

Las Cruces, N. M., Aug. 27.—Pedro Benavides came in yesterday from the Organ mountains with the scalp and skin of one of the largest mountain lions that has been killed in this district for many years. He found the animal in Elmore Canyon just east of the Modoc mine, killing it on the second shot.

The scalp brought him \$10 bounty from the county and the skin was sold to Dr. W. C. Field for \$10 more. There are only a few of these animals left in the Organ mountains and they are becoming scarce each year. The one that Pedro killed measured seven feet and four inches from tip to tip.

LAS CRUCES BEANS A PROFITABLE CROP

One Thousand Five Hundred
Pounds From a Three
Acre Tract.

Las Cruces, N. M., Aug. 27.—J. M. Forbes, who owns a large ranch in the American Bend north of this city, was in town yesterday and reports that the bean crop of that section of the valley has turned out better than was expected. Off one field of about three acres 1500 pounds were secured, and as beans are now selling around 10 cents a pound the crop will be a very profitable one. Corn is not doing so well on account of the lack of water just at the time when it was making ears, but it is thought that there will be a fair crop, the last water giving it a good start.

SLIGHT FIRE AT CRUCES

DISCOVERED AT MIDNIGHT
Las Cruces, N. M., Aug. 27.—Las Cruces was saved from a big fire Thursday night. About 11:30 o'clock, C. O. Bennett, who had just closed the Aldome, discovered flames in the Hoffmann & Tipton drug store and im-

mediately gave the alarm. It was necessary to break the doors in order to get to the fire. It was found that some patron of the store had dropped a lighted cigarette stub on the base of one of the artificial palms used for decoration and this had ignited the moss in the base, and the whole thing had blazed up. The palm was carried out of the building and outside of a slight damage by smoke no loss was sustained.

ANOTHER LAND SALE MADE AT CRUCES

Las Cruces, N. M., Aug. 27.—C. L. Hosmer has just completed a deal by which he sells to M. Williams, of Illinois, 22 acres of land in Bosque Boudato, the consideration being \$2700.

JUAREZ MAN BENEFICIARY

OF LAS CRUCES ESTATE
Las Cruces, N. M., Aug. 27.—The last will and testament of the late Steve Sever, who died at his home in Chamberino, on Aug. 24, has been filed in the office of the probate clerk of this county and will be heard for probate on September 7. The deceased directs that \$750 be expended in his burial and for the erection of a suitable monument over his grave. He bequeaths all his personal property and cash to Antonio Lassich, of Juarez, Mexico; one-half of a certain tract of land east of the Rio Grande in Dona Ana county to Felipe Provencio, sr., of Dona Ana county; and the balance of his estate, including 225 acres of land in Dona Ana county to Antonio Lassich, sr., of Juarez, Mexico. He names Antonio Lassich, sr., as the sole executor of his will.

MESILLA COLLEGE TO OPEN

FOR THE YEAR, TUESDAY
Las Cruces, N. M., Aug. 27.—The New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts will open for the school year of 1910-11 on Tuesday, Aug. 30. From present indications this will be the best year ever had by the institution. Already practically all of the rooms in both the girls' and the boys' dormitories have been engaged and the many boarding and rooming houses in the vicinity of the college are also practically filled to their limit.

MESILLA VALLEY RANCHER

MAY START A BRICKYARD
Las Cruces, N. M., Aug. 27.—Jacob Chavez, who has a ranch on the west side of the river near Piecho mountain, was in the city today. He states that he has found a hill on his place which has the very finest of dirt for the manufacture of brick. He has tried out some of the dirt and has burned a very fine quality of fire brick. Mr. Chavez expects to go into the brick making business this fall on a moderate scale.

CRUCES DELEGATE LEAVES

FOR CONSERVATION MEETING
Las Cruces, N. M., Aug. 27.—W. A. Fleming Jones will leave on Sunday for St. Paul, where he will attend the Second National Conservation congress. Mr. Jones goes as a delegate from New Mexico and also as the New Mexico representative of the American Academy of Political and Social science. He expects to make a trip into Canada before returning home, and later on is contemplating a trip across the ocean with his family.

CERTIFICATES ARE GIVEN

TO CRUCES VOLUNTEERS
Las Cruces, N. M., Aug. 27.—At a special meeting of the Las Cruces Volunteer Fire department Thursday evening, at which Elias Spaire presided as chairman, pro tem, the boys voted to issue to each member of the department a certificate of membership. The certificates were engraved by Ellis Brothers of El Paso. Later on the boys will be issued four more to residents of Dona Ana county, and the largest pension of them all came to a Dona Ana county man, Lew T. Ross, of Mesilla Park, is now receiving \$72 a month, this amount dating from July 6, 1910.

LAS CRUCES BOY

IS SLIGHTLY INJURED
Las Cruces, N. M., Aug. 27.—Noverto Butler, son of N. U. Butler, was seriously injured yesterday while cutting weeds on the ditch bank at his father's ranch. His younger brother was using a sickle and accidentally struck Noverto over the hand, cutting a long and deep gash, which required several stitches. The boy, who is very young, is doing nicely and no serious consequences are anticipated.

LAS CRUCES PERSONALS.

Las Cruces, N. M., Aug. 27.—Merced Gonzalez is on the sick list.
W. H. H. Llewellyn was at his Selden ranch yesterday and today to see about the progress of the new sanatorium which he is having constructed.

W. A. Sutherland and son returned from El Paso yesterday, where Mr. Sutherland had gone to see his father, the Rev. Mr. Sutherland, who is preparing to go to old Mexico.
Miss Fannie Ford has returned from her summer vacation in order to resume her work as teacher in the public schools of Las Cruces.

Mrs. R. F. Hare and children have left for the east, where they will be joined in about two weeks by professor Hare, who is to spend the winter in Washington doing special research work in connection with the United States experiment station.
A boy was born to Marian Aguerre and wife in this city yesterday.

Ed. Middleton, of El Paso, was here yesterday on a business trip.
Morgan O. Llewellyn returned today from a campaigning trip in the northern precincts of the county.

Catarino Armijo and N. C. Frenger came in today from the northern end of the county, where they have been for the past week.
J. F. Bonham, Eugene Van Patten, J. H. Paxton and W. S. Gilliam are back from an electioneering trip in the lower Dona Ana county precincts.

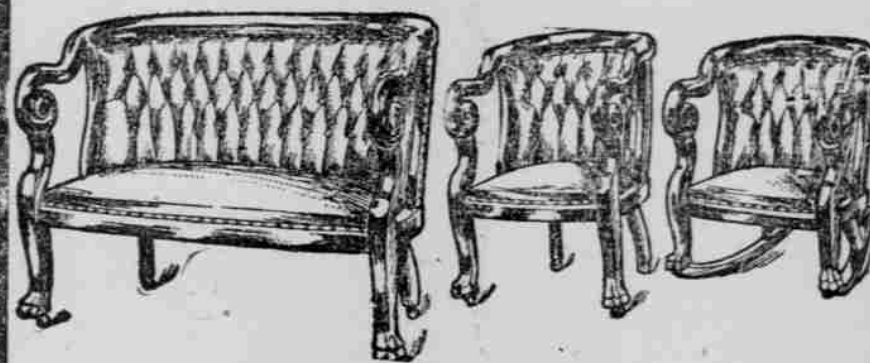
The young men of Las Cruces will entertain their friends at a dance to be held at the rink this evening.
Antonio Lassich, sr., of Juarez, Mex., was in the city yesterday on business connected with the finding of the will of the late Steve Sever.

Isidore Armijo returned yesterday from an extended trip throughout the county.
Ralph E. Ely, a Deming attorney, was in the city yesterday on legal business.
C. E. Miller, who has been in the upper end of the county for the past two days, was in the city yesterday on his way to Anthony, his home.

W. F. Jacoby has returned from a week's business trip to Colorado.
Mrs. H. D. Bowman entertained the young people of Mesilla Park and that vicinity at her home last evening, dancing being the feature of the affair.

LAS CRUCES HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Las Cruces, N. M., Aug. 27.—At the Hotel Monarch: Patrick E. Timlin, El Paso; John Dodd, Ben Nevis mine; T. B. Goodwin, Anapra, N. M.; L. L. Merrill, Anapra; Ed P. Cox, Anapra; E. D. Shippe, Bennett-Stephenson mine; G. M. Lerchen, Organ; M. C. Logan, Red Dog; W. B. Sweazy, Organ; C. A. Thompson, Berino; W. S. Gilliam, Mesilla Park; Mrs. Ed P. Cox, Anapra; W. W. Cox, Organ; H. L. Dillon, Organ; Virgil W. Martin, El Paso; C. E. Rose, Gold Camp; Ed Middleton, El Paso.
At the Don Bernado: J. H. Ford, Salt Lake City, Utah; E. E. Banks, St. Louis; Jack Kloville, Buffalo, N. Y.



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MESILLA PARK MAN.

Las Cruces, N. M., Aug. 27.—There have been issued during this year 90 pensions to New Mexicans. Forty-three of these were original, 33 were for an increase and 14 for re-issues. Of this number, 18 were granted to widows. Of the total number of pensions issued four were to residents of Dona Ana county, and the largest pension of them all came to a Dona Ana county man, Lew T. Ross, of Mesilla Park, is now receiving \$72 a month, this amount dating from July 6, 1910.

LAS CRUCES DAILY RECORD.

Las Cruces, N. M., Aug. 27.—The following papers have been filed for record in the office of the probate clerk of Dona Ana county:

Satisfaction of Mortgage.
Mollie Artman and Charles S. Bidwell to Gustave F. H. Malchow, Frederick W. Krieger and Pearl Krieger, satisfaction of mortgage for \$2800.

VALENTINE SCHOOL OPENS SEPT. 12

Dry in That Vicinity—Personal Notes From the Vicinity.

Valentine, Tex., Aug. 27.—The public school of Valentine will open September 12 with professor H. W. Wofford, of Yorkum, Tex., as principal, and Miss Inez Crawford as assistant.

Professor Wofford and his wife have arrived and will occupy a portion of the Spruill residence during the school year.

The Mexican school will open September 5. Miss Maud Wood, of Sanderson, who taught last year, has been secured for another year.

Mrs. W. L. Cass is confined to her bed on account of illness.

Dr. George B. Graves has purchased a Buick car. He bought it in El Paso. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wilkins are guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Newton.

Mrs. A. S. Stewart and children are visiting Mrs. P. A. Smith.

W. A. Trayler, of El Paso, is in Valentine.

Tom Speakman, of the Valentine Mercantile company, has moved to the Spruill house.

C. O. Finley, president of the Valentine Mercantile company is in town looking after business interests.

Joel Finley is in from his river ranch and reports the range in good condition.

J. F. Everett has been in Valentine this week. Mr. Everett supplies the Brown News company with delicious home grown tomatoes.

A. L. Allen was in from his home near



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A Fine Looking Chap.
Smith was a fine looking man. He was hatched-faced, and beetle-browed and gimlet-eyed, and lantern-jawed and apple-cheeked, with mutton-chop whiskers and a square chin.—Life.

A Vague Idea.
"What is the Chautauqua salute?"
"I think it's a gingerly kiss; one that won't disarrange the eyeglasses."

Two Varieties.
Two class of fools we see afloat
Before the season closes—
One is the kind that rocks the boat.
The other kind proposes.

Art Today.
"She is being fitted for the stage."
"Studying hard, I presume?"
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